

THIRD LIBERTY LOAN BOND DRIVE LAUNCHED

LET EVERY MAN DO HIS FULL DUTY

Warning Note Sounded by C. C. Nottingham, Chairman of Loan Campaign Committee.

What a Bond Will Buy

Every One Who Buys a Liberty Bond Is Doing Bit for Army.

The following figures give an idea of what a loan to the government by the purchase of liberty bonds will accomplish when used by the war department:

One \$50 bond will buy trench knives for a rifle company, 23 hand grenades, 14 rifle grenades, 37 cases of surgical instruments for enlisted men's belts, or 10 cases of surgical instruments for officers' belts.

A \$100 bond will clothe a soldier, feed a soldier for eight months, purchase 5 rifles, 30 rifle grenades, 43 hand grenades, 25 pounds of ether, 145 hot water bags, or 2,000 surgical needles.

A \$100 and a \$50 bond will clothe and equip an infantry soldier for service overseas, or feed a soldier for a year.

Two \$100 bonds will purchase a horse or mule for cavalry, artillery or other service.

Three \$100 bonds will clothe a soldier and feed him for one year in France or buy a motorcycle for a machine gun company.

Four \$100 bonds will buy an X-ray outfit.

One \$500 bond will supply bicycles for the headquarters of an infantry regiment.

Today is the opening day of the liberty bond campaign. Already so much enthusiasm has been shown, that, without unduly boasting, officials of the Chattanooga zone liberty loan committee feel that the full quota in the counties is already assured.

"We don't want any county chairman to rest on his laurels because the outlook is bright," said Chairman C. C. Nottingham, Saturday. "Rather we want every man in the whole organization to get right to work and work all the harder, but it does seem that greater interest than ever heretofore has been awakened in the outlying districts, as well as the cities, and we are going to have a bond issue which shows that this section of Tennessee is inhabited by the most loyal kind of loyal Americans."

Here are some of the features and big ideas of this bond campaign. Every one is going to help. A train of relief, with special lecturers aboard, which makes a tour through the Chattanooga zone. These are relief direct from the battle front of Europe—a group of men, specially trained in the outlying districts that will bring the war closer to home. A huge thermometer, erected on the safety zone at Eighth and Market streets, with the thermometer at two and three and four million. The wording is "Make it hot for the Kaiser."

A white star badge, created by Stephen Doughton, zone chairman, to take the place of the usual lapel button, so common to these campaigns. The idea of the campaign is for every bond buyer to wear the emblem on the theory that "We can't label the shirkers, but we can label the workers." Every man is urged to wear this emblem as a patriotic duty—quite as much a duty as the buying of the bond itself, as by wearing it the shirkers will be made conspicuous by the absence of the emblem.

Liberty bells ringing on the front doors, which are conspicuous reminders to every householder that the campaign is on.

Zone flag, to the county in the zone going the greatest distance over its quota. Already there is keen rivalry in the zone as to which county will win the emblem.

Honor flag, awarded by the government to each county that subscribes its quota, with special federal recognition to the county that subscribes its quota first.

George Washington card, a handsome emblem, to be displayed in the window of every home where a bond has been bought after the plan of the display of the Red Cross flag.

A complete canvass of the city by bond salesmen, the city having been divided into districts, each with a systematic canvass.

The zone plan of getting foreign corporations to make the bond subscription in the counties where they do business so that these counties may get their proper credit for sales.

And last, but not least, a slogan: "The Voice of the Nation—Have you Bought a Liberty Bond?" This is the creation of Zone Chairman Nottingham and it is his idea for every one to make this a by-word during the campaign: "Good morning. Have you bought a liberty bond?"

All this, in addition to the big hip, hip, hooray parade today, makes the bond campaign open auspiciously.

"We'll sell our \$500,000 of bonds in Chattanooga," said one of the officials repeated today. "Watch how far over we go."

MILITARY PAGEANT MARKS CELEBRATION LIBERTY DAY

Thousands of People With Solemn Mein and Uncovered Heads View Passing Soldiers and Civic Organizations in Monster Parade.

And most impressive of it all was the soldiers. For two hours and fifteen minutes Chattanooga witnessed today the most spectacular, most impressive and probably the longest parade that has ever been seen here. More pains were taken to create novelties, floats, decorate cars and devise ways and means to make the Third Liberty Day feature the grandest success that has ever been known here. The result was a complete success. Thousands of soldiers marched by with brittle cadence. Bands played and people cheered. The Liberty Bell, the tank, the Shriners, the Red Cross workers all added to the impressiveness of the event, but overshadowing them all, causing the little quick catch of breath, the tightening in the throat and the most genuine applause was the soldiers. The men in O. D. from Chickamauga gave Chattanooga a demonstration it will never forget.

Promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday morning the air was rent by a volley of whistles, which were blown from the various factories in Chattanooga announcing the anniversary of America's entrance into the world war, and the beginning of the third liberty loan campaign. Many a Chattanooga boy ended his life, his life as a citizen of his county in order that the world may be safe for democracy and it behooves everybody at home to do their part.

The loyalty of the people of Chattanooga is being tested and, with the hundreds of Chattanooga boys in the various cantonment camps and many right at the front, they have vowed they are not going to let the boys from Chattanooga, or any other place, who are now in No Man's Land be mutilated and killed because they have the ammunition and goods to put the Hun out of business.

The people of Chattanooga will be expected to do their all during this coming drive, and prove to the rest of the world that the citizens of the United States are not quitters. So it is with a thought of the boys "over there" that the thousands of people gathered on Market street at noon today waiting for the big patriotic demonstration to pass. They were not there for curiosity or just merely to see the parade, but a look of interest and patriotism could be seen in the eyes of the onlookers as they crowded the streets. The cheers outnumbered those of a year ago when the soldiers marched down the streets of Chattanooga, by a large majority, and showed that the people were with Uncle Sam. In fact, it would have been a pretty hot place for a pro-German, or anyone who didn't believe in the course the United States government is taking.

Thousands of Spectators. Crowds of people lined up both sides of Market were waiting for the parade to start. Some forty or fifty minutes before the parade started. Waiting there under the Stars and Stripes which were placed by the decorating committee. In fact, it would have been a pretty hot place for a pro-German, or anyone who didn't believe in the course the United States government is taking.

Sam Conner, grand marshal of the parade, led the procession down Market street, together with Chief Hackett and the mounted police. After the police made the city and county officials, the greater part walking.

The city officials were T. C. Betterton, H. D. Huffaker, Ed. Bass, Ed. Heron and others. The county officials were J. W. Davis, field representative; Lewis Burke, secretary; J. W. Bishop and T. B. Everett.

W. M. Elliott, headed the city committee, who walked. Leading the parade was a military band, after which came the Chattanooga zone liberty loan committee and the Hamilton county liberty loan committee. C. C. Nottingham, chairman of the zone committee, led the parade in an automobile, together with his executive committee, composed of the following: R. J. MacLellan, treasurer; W. G. M. Thomas, chairman of speakers; Stephen Doughton, Supt. J. W. Bishop and T. B. Everett.

The second division was made up entirely of military divisions from the medical camp at Greenleaf and the divisions from Camp Forrest and was in charge of Joe Clift and J. E. Annis.

The "Eleventh Cavalry," followed by the ambulances filled with women from the Red Cross led the third division were Jim Payne and Dr. J. W. Morgan.

Attractive Floats. One of the most attractive floats in the entire parade was the one gotten up by the Godmothers' association—the "liberty float." On this float, which was draped in red, white and blue bunting, was a number of the society girls, representing the various allied nations. Miss Gloria Lamb, one of the prettiest and most attractive girls in Chattanooga, represented America; Miss Catherine Henderson, another attractive society belle, represented France; Miss Margaret Ochs, Italy; Miss Gladys Riggs, Serbia; Miss Elizabeth Stokes, Ireland; Miss Helen Winn, Japan; Miss Clara Trotter, England; Miss Katherine Milton, Scotland; Miss Louise Bradford, Belgium; Miss Josephine McGarry, Canada; Miss H. T. Olmsted, Cuba; Mrs. Russell Sorman, Hawaii; Miss Lucy Boyer, Rumania; Miss Irene Dickinson, Greece, and Miss Irene Dickinson, China.

Regular Tank. Perhaps the most unique thing in the entire parade was a float representing a regular English tank. So perfect was the tank that one could hardly tell it from a regular tank. It was made on a two-ton truck and had eight

Parents of Tank Boys!

Capt. Campbell to Meet With Auxiliary Monday. Important Conference.

Capt. R. Porter Campbell, commander of Chattanooga's heavy tank unit, will meet members of the recently formed tank company auxiliary at a special called session to be held at the chamber of commerce, Monday at 2 p.m. The meeting is one of particular importance, and relatives of each member of the company are urged to attend. The following call has been sent out:

"In order that the present and future welfare of the men of the Chattanooga heavy tank company be provided for, it is imperative that the parents, or a representative of every member of this company be present at a called meeting of the recently formed auxiliary for this unit at 2 p.m. sharp, Monday, April 8.

Left side of Market street and back again a little way past the reviewing stand. The continual left oblique, then back again, suggested a green torrent swerving around an obstacle. Perhaps the most thrilling scene in the pageant was the Eleventh cavalry riding down to the air of the "Marsellaise" with swords at salute and horses flinging their heads. A cheer followed the riders, swelling and broadening till it swallowed the review stand in a great clamor. A woman near the stand stood holding to a child's hand with tears in her eyes saying, "Ugh, don't that send shivers down your back!"

As a decorative finale came the Red Cross organization of ambulances, crowded with Red Cross workers in their white aprons and nurse caps splashed with the crimson crucifix of their order. Young and old they were: girls in dreamy tones, matrons who had seen much of life. Their ambulances stretched in so long a line that they vanished in perspective in the blue haze of their own smoke. It was a heartening, thrilling spectacle.

The Review Stand.

The viewing stand located in front of the Hamilton National bank building was elaborately decorated with American flags and national colors, and from here the parade was reviewed by Mayor Jesse M. Littleton, Gen. J. B. Erwin and staff; Gen. H. P. Birmingham and staff; Maj. Gordon R. Catts and staff, and French and British officers from Camp Forrest.

Bugle Notes of the Parade.

The greatest feature of the parade was the music by the six military bands from Camp Forrest, which headed each a division of the procession and dispensed patriotic music along the line of march.

Before the procession began to move Roy D. Lotepich distributed a card bearing a series of "yells" and instructions. He organized along Market street a number of "yell" clubs, which added to the interest at their parliaments by the enthusiasm injected into the occasion.

As the various flags passed the men among the spectators removed their hats and sang, and gave their favorite yells and a ringing "rah, rah, rah" with a vim that stirred the spectators on the side lines.

EARLY REPORTS FORECAST SUCCESS OF BOND DRIVE

Already Many Counties and Towns Have Oversubscribed Their Pro Rata.

The early reports on this opening day of the drive for the sale of the third issue of liberty bonds forecast the success in the Chattanooga district. Before noon Saturday Zone Chairman C. C. Nottingham had received a large number of telegrams announcing the subscription or oversubscription of the pro rata of the districts indicated.

The telegrams themselves are as follows and they tell the story with Chairman Nottingham's replies:

C. C. Nottingham, Zone Chairman, Chattanooga, Tenn.: "Fentress county goes over top. Have oversold allotment sales. At 1:45 a.m. over \$20,000."

E. M. SHELLEY, County Chairman, Chattanooga, April 6. "We know old Fentress would go over the top. Congratulations."

C. C. NOTTINGHAM, Zone Chairman, Wilder, April 6. "Chattanooga has sold more than allotment over \$10,000 at 9:30 a.m."

W. S. DOOLEY, Sub-Chairman, Chattanooga, April 6. "Wire received. Con. 'Congratulations. We were counting on Fentress to be one of the first to go over the top."

C. C. NOTTINGHAM, Zone Chairman, Chattanooga, April 6. "Tullahoma subscribes allotment for bonds."

S. S. BLACKMAN, County Chairman, Chattanooga, April 6. "Blackman, Tullahoma, Tenn. Heartly congratulations. Tullahoma first over the top."

C. C. NOTTINGHAM, Zone Chairman, Chattanooga, April 6. "Federal Reserve Bank, Atlanta, Ga.: Morgan county goes over the top with \$26,150. Fifty per cent. oversubscribed."

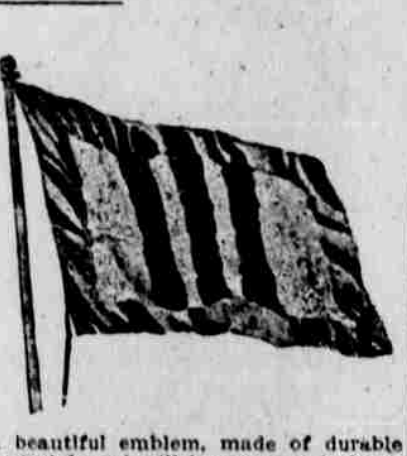
C. C. NOTTINGHAM, Zone Chairman, Chattanooga, April 6. "Your telegram, one of a number received advising subscription to full quota. Congratulations, your committee and people on fine work."

FRIENDLY RIVALRY OVER RIGHT TO FLY THIS BEAUTIFUL FLAG

The main business of hundreds of communities throughout the Sixth federal reserve district for the next month is going to be working to secure the right to fly the flag illustrated herewith from the municipal flag pole.

For this is the service flag of the third liberty loan, one of the most notable marks of distinction which a town may have. It is given to that community which subscribes its full quota of bonds immediately upon the date that the subscription is reached. In most cities and towns arrangements have already been made to have a gala celebration when the flag is won, with many notable speakers and parades, band concerts and merry-making. There are many rivalries between neighboring towns as to which will win the flag first.

The colors of the flag are red border, white field and blue stripes. It is



a beautiful emblem, made of durable materials and will be sent out in large numbers all during the campaign, which opened today.

SECOND DRAFT ORDERS SENT OUT

Number Called Ranges Near 150,000—Mississippi Quota to Be Furnished at Once.

Jackson, Miss., April 6.—Adj.-Gen. Scales received a call from the war department this morning to furnish within five days after April 25 Mississippi's second quota of the draft, consisting of 360 white men and 1,643 negroes, to be forwarded to Camp Pike.

To State Governors. Washington, April 6.—Orders from Provost Marshal-General Crowder for mobilization of the April call of the second draft were being received today by governors of the states. Although the orders had not been published in Washington today, it is estimated that the number of men called to camp will range close to 150,000. This is slightly in excess of the monthly quota as based on the calling of 800,000 men over a period of nine months. It indicated, however, no increase in the general total for the year.

3,396 Kentuckians. Frankfort, Ky., April 6.—Kentucky's initial quota in the second selective draft, called today, numbers 3,396 men, including 517 negroes.

5,579 From Illinois. Springfield, Ill., April 6.—A call for 5,579 men for general military service to be moved in the five-day period beginning April 26 was received by Adj.-Gen. Dickson from Provost Marshal-General Crowder today.

Iowa to Mobilize 3,412. Des Moines, Ia., April 6.—Iowa's first call in the second selective draft, aside from the requests for aerial mechanics, was received today. It orders the mobilization of 3,412 men.

10,302 From Ohio. Columbus, O., April 6.—The first movement of draft men selected wholly from class I was ordered today and Ohio is to contribute 10,302 men in the five-day period beginning April 26.

FOR VIRGINIA NEGROES. Richmond, Va., April 6.—Virginia will send 1,065 negroes to Camp Lee on or about April 26. This is approximately the number of men sent to Camp Lee last week.

British Casualties in Week Aggregate 3,743

London, April 6.—British casualties reported in the week ended today aggregated 3,743, divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 135; men, 642; wounded or missing: Officers, 628; men, 2,338.

This total is only slightly in excess of last week's, which was 3,618. Apparently the reports of casualties in the Somme battle have not begun to come in.

COFFEE INTERESTS WILL PROTEST NEW RULES

New York, April 6.—A protest to the national food administration against its regulations limiting the gross profits of importers and jobbers of green coffee will be made by New York green coffee interests and the support of those in Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and San Francisco will be sought. It was announced here today. These regulations, which became effective March 9 last, forbid taking of profits greater than 21-2 per cent. over cost of importers and 5 per cent. in the case of jobbers.

Lieut. J. W. Spaulding Being Court-Martialed

Lieut. J. W. Spaulding, of the Sixth infantry, who figured so conspicuously in the escape of Baroness Zolner at the Patten hotel in this city several months ago, is said to be on trial by a court-martial behind closed doors at Fort Oglethorpe. The exact charges against Lieut. Spaulding are not known and will not be until the results are published in general orders.

George Creel in Narrow Escape From Injury

Baltimore, April 6.—George Creel, chairman of the committee on public information, and Aviator O. M. Boudie had a narrow escape from injury this morning when the airplane in which they arrived here from Washington was disabled while making a landing at Pimlico race track. Both men escaped with a slight shaking up.

RED CROSS UNIT TAKES PART IN GREAT PARADE

Ladies Riding in Ambulances Make Feature of Big Demonstration.

Approximately two hundred Red Cross women in their Red Cross coats and aprons rode in the ambulances from the R. O. T. C. in the third division of the parade, which was headed by 106 ambulances. The Red Cross women in their uniforms was one of the most effective parts of the parade.

Mrs. Powell Clayton and Mrs. Frank J. Taylor were seated in the first ambulance and were followed by the remainder in the other ambulances from Camp Forrest.

The entire list of the ladies riding in the Red Cross division follows: Mrs. Powell Clayton, head of Red Cross.

Mrs. T. W. Lowery, Mrs. H. S. Probasco, Mrs. Anna Layfield, Mrs. U. G. Jones, Mrs. C. S. Reid, Mrs. C. W. Carlton, Miss Sterling Price, Mrs. John P. Dougherty, Mrs. Tompkins, Miss Lillian Jones, Mrs. Ida Rundel, Miss Lucy Montague, Mrs. O. L. Lockwood, Mrs. C. C. Clark, Mrs. Ed. Davidson, Mrs. John E. Patton, Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. V. D. L. Robinson, Mrs. C. D. Andrews, Mrs. Hugh Boyd, Miss Gladys M. Atey, Miss Helene V. Atey, Miss Estelle Hulse, Mrs. Anna P. Dougherty, Mrs. Mary McIntyre, Mrs. Adolph Shumaker, Mrs. D. L. Grayson, Mrs. S. D. Loder, Mrs. E. M. Brizley, Mrs. R. M. Cleveland, Mrs. E. W. Stuart, Mrs. Otto K. LeFron, Mrs. Sam Erwin, Mrs. Anna W. Hargrave, Mrs. J. McChesney Hoguehead, Mrs. O. P. Darwin, Mrs. Victor Glover, Mrs. R. T. Fauette, Mrs. E. H. Noa, Mrs. L. E. Noa, Mrs. H. L. Cory, Mrs. W. R. Frye, Mrs. Harry R. Lacey, Mrs. J. B. Gager, Miss Margaret Sudd, Mrs. Kenneth Thatcher Eaton, Mrs. H. H. Hughes, Mrs. F. E. H. Hughes, Mrs. J. J. Jones, Miss Marie Murphy, Mrs. P. S. Daniel, Mrs. P. S. Quinn, Mrs. A. H. Barker, Mrs. J. E. Barker, Mrs. Cal Turner, Mrs. R. W. Barr, Miss Elizabeth Read, Mrs. L. D. Howland, Mrs. J. H. Dootson, Miss Catherine Daniels, Mrs. Fred Salmon, Mrs. Eleanor Salmon, Mrs. E. L. Riggs, Mrs. E. L. Riggs, Miss Roslyn Ewing, Mrs. G. L. Hubbard, Mrs. A. L. Harvey, Miss Carolyn Hamblen, Mrs. E. H. R. Thompson, Mrs. E. R. Thompson, Mrs. J. T. Dugger, Mrs. G. W. Stephenson, Miss Louise Spears, Mrs. J. E. Dugger, Mrs. Robt. Wheeler, Mrs. Annie Cross, Mrs. Sarah Cross, Mrs. H. Warwick, Mrs. J. B. Sisson, Mrs. Carl Wood, Mrs. Ed. Bass, Mrs. Sutton, Mrs. White, Mrs. W. L. Nixon, Mrs. Arch Bass, Mrs. Dadda, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. H. Schuster, Mrs. Nelson, Miss Howard, Miss Hart, Mrs. E. S. Wright, Mrs. H. S. Sisson, Mrs. E. E. Betts, Miss Agnes V. Robertson, Mrs. J. W. Robertson, Mrs. C. H. Griescom, Mrs. H. K. Duley, Mrs. W. H. Fletcher, Mrs. L. Lewis Clarke, Mrs. F. M. Patton, Mrs. Lucius Mansfield, Mrs. J. E. Taylor, Mrs. J. E. Taylor, Mrs. C. L. Peacock, Mrs. W. L. Nixon, Mrs. Hartford, Mrs. Francis Lynde, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Andy Moore, Mrs. J. B. Keene, Mrs. E. A. Nelson, Mrs. J. O. Riddle, Mrs. L. H. Harrington, Mrs. L. E. Nason, Mrs. Arthur Hirst, Mrs. E. L. Swick, Mrs. E. J. Clevenger, Mrs. H. M. Lust, Mrs. E. H. Elders, Mrs. Joe W. Clift, Mrs. Aldine Newberry, Mrs. W. L. Wergin, Mrs. J. S. Davis, Mrs. H. K. Shaw, Miss Margaret G. Bright, Miss Georgia Crumel, Mrs. E. Alva Smith, Mrs. J. C. Jones.

LATEST RULING ON COAL PRICES

All Tennessee Coal at Nearly Same Figures—Overton and Fentress Special Prices.

State Fuel Administrator W. E. Myer has just made the announcement of the new prices of coal which are to prevail in Tennessee as per the ruling of Fuel Administrator Garfield. According to the new ruling, mines along the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad will be benefited, being placed on a parity in price with other mines in Tennessee.

The basic price for coal now in Tennessee, except Tennessee Central coal in Fentress and Overton counties, is \$3.10 for mine run. This is obtained by adding to the price specified the 45 cents allowed to those mines where the miners have signed the Garfield pledge, as practically all mines are now working under that agreement.

The announcement from State Fuel administrator W. E. Myer follows: "The following prices on coal mined in Tennessee have been announced by the fuel administration at Washington, to take effect at 7 a.m. April 6, 1918:

All the Mines in Overton and Fentress Counties, Tennessee—Run of mine, per ton \$2.30 Prepared size (lump), per ton \$2.65 Screenings, per ton 1.95

All Other Counties in Tennessee—Run of mine, per ton \$2.65 Prepared size (lump), per ton 2.90 Screenings, per ton 2.40

"To above prices, all mines which give the increased wages to miners set forth in Garfield's ruling of Oct. 27, 1917, are allowed to add the 45 cents per ton therein provided for."

"Nearly all the mines in Tennessee have given the miners the increased wages called for in the above order and are allowed to add this 45 cents advance. There are, however, a few that are not yet entitled to the 45 cents advance."

"The prices on west Kentucky coal have not yet been announced. They will be announced in a few days. The above prices are the new summer prices."

"Now that the summer prices have been fixed, allow me to again strongly urge my people to lay in their entire year's supply during the months of April and May. There is going to be a great scarcity of coal this winter. Those who fail to lay in their coal now run a grave risk."

"I ask those whose present storage capacity is not sufficient to contain a year's supply to secure additional storage room at once."

"Consumers may buy either from their local dealers or direct from the mines. Consumers using less than a carload may form clubs and buy direct from the mines."

"Consumer should learn from railroad the freight from mine to his station, and thus be able to figure cost of coal."

"Buying from local dealers saves worry. These dealers are your neighbors. They often befriended you. They get no more than reasonable pay for the work they do."

"When buying from dealer sign a certificate and leave it with him. When buying from mine sign certificate and give it to local or county fuel administrator, who will issue permit for mine to ship."

"W. E. MEYER, United States Fuel Administrator for Tennessee."

Confidence Increased By Americans Coming

London, April 6.—Replying to a telegram sent by the lord mayor of London and his guests at a luncheon at the Mansion house to celebrate the anniversary of the entry of the United States into the war King George said: "American troops are daily taking their place in the battle line and this increases more than ever the confidence with which we patiently look forward to the ultimate victory of our united efforts in defense of the rights and liberties of civilization."

Foreign Secretary Balfour said the meaning of America's action had not thus far been appreciated in this country. To realize what it meant, Englishmen must ask themselves whether Great Britain would have taken the same course in the same circumstances.

Nashville Enters Drive With Determination to Win

(Special to The News.) Nashville, April 6.—The beginning of the third liberty loan drive in Nashville was announced at 9 o'clock this morning by shrieking whistles not getting all over the city. Four-minute speakers will make talks for the loan in all the theatres tonight. The quota of the Nashville zone, which includes three Middle Tennessee counties, is \$2,477,200, over half of which, or \$1,240,000 is allotted to the county of Davidson.